# Important Plants, Animals, and Habitats

This information is based on known occurrences or known geographic distribution of the species listed and represents the best available information available at the time the report was printed. For more information, please contact Beginning with Habitat.

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## Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Plants

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status	Federal Status
American Chestnut	Castanea dentata	G4	S4	SC	
Wild Leek	Allium tricoccum	G5	S3	SC	

## Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Animals

Data from MDIFW

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status
Canada Lynx	Felis lynx canadensis	G5	S2	SC
Creeper	Strophitus undulatus	G5	SNR	SC
Wood Turtle	Glyptemys insculpta	G4	S4	SC

## Rare and Exemplary Natural Communities and Ecosystems

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank
Raised Level Bog Ecosystem	Raised level bog ecosystem	GNR	S4
Unpatterned Fen Ecosystem	Unpatterned fen ecosystem	GNR	S4
Upper Floodplain Hardwood Forest	Hardwood river terrace forest	GNR	S3

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# Significant, Essential, and other Animal Habitats

Significant and Essential Habitats and Significant Vernal Pools from MDFIW

#### **Habitat Type**

Deer Wintering Area

Inland Waterfowl and Wading Bird Habitat

# **Bird Species of Greatest Conservation Need**

Primarily from breeding bird atlas and based on county distribution data. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name	
American Bittern	Botaurus lentiginosus	
American Black Duck	Anas rubripes	
American Three-toed Woodpecker	Picoides dorsalis	
American Woodcock	Scolopax minor	
Baltimore Oriole	Icterus galbula	
Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica	
Barred Owl	Strix varia	
Bay-breasted Warbler	Dendroica castanea	
Black And White Warbler	Mniotilta varia	
Black-billed Cuckoo	Coccyzus erythropthalmus	
Blackburnian Warbler	Dendroica fusca	
Black-throated Blue Warbler	Dendroica caerulescens	
Black-throated Green Warbler	Dendroica virens	

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Bobolink Dolichonyx oryzivorus

Brown Thrasher Toxostoma rufum

Canada Warbler Wilsonia canadensis

Cape May Warbler Dendroica tigrina

Chestnut-sided Warbler Dendroica pensylvanica

Chimney Swift Chaetura pelagica

Common Loon Gavia immer

Common Nighthawk Chordeiles minor

Eastern Kingbird Tyrannus tyrannus

Eastern Meadowlark Sturnella magna

Eastern Towhee Pipilo erythrophthalmus

Field Sparrow Spizella pusilla

Great Blue Heron Ardea herodias

Great-crested Flycatcher Myiarchus crinitus

Greater Yellowlegs Tringa melanoleuca

Northern Flicker Colaptes auratus

Northern Parula Parula americana

Pied-billed Grebe Podilymbus podiceps

Purple Finch Carpodacus purpureus

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Red Crossbill	Loxia curvirostra
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Pheucticus ludovicianu
Scarlet Tanager	Piranga olivacea
Veery	Catharus fuscescens
Vesper Sparrow	Pooecetes gramineus
Willow Flycatcher	Empidonax traillii
Wood Thrush	Hylocichla mustelina
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus varius

# **Fish Species of Greatest Conservation Need**

Data from MDIFW, DMR, and USFWS. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name	
Alewife	Alosa pseudoharengus	
American Eel	Anguilla rostrata	
Atlantic Salmon	Salmo salar	
Brook Trout	Salvelinus fontinalis	

# Other Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, Damsel/Dragonfly Survey, and Maine Butterfly Atlas. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Deep-throat Vertigo	Vertigo nylanderi
Graceful Clearwing	Hemaris gracilis